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DRIVING VEHICLE  
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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW FROM ISSUE  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.313(c) (2)**

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S I R :

Applicants hereby petition to withdraw the above-identified  
application from issue for the reason set forth in  
37 CFR 1.313(c) (2), namely, for consideration of a Request for  
Continued Examination (RCE), which is filed concurrently herewith  
along with an Information Disclosure Statement.

The Issue Fee was paid on March 10, 2008. The patent has  
been assigned an issue date of April 29, 2008.

**As required by MPEP 1308, one specific and significant  
defect in the allowed application is that a Japanese Office**

Action has been issued on April 1, 2008 in Japanese Application No. 2003-075605 which is a Japanese counterpart of the present application that identifies JP 10-080006, JP 2002-316547, JP 10-174211, JP 7-123514, JP 2000-299901, JP 2000-032616, JP 6-219348 and JP 2002-051404 (corresponds to USP 6,528,959) which are believed to be material to the patentability of the allowed claims in the present application.

The undersigned became aware of said Japanese Office Action (dated April 1, 2008) on April 9, 2008, and in order to ensure consideration of JP 10-080006, JP 2002-316547, JP 10-174211, JP 7-123514, JP 2000-299901, JP 2000-032616, JP 6-219348, JP 2002-051404 (corresponds to USP 6,528,959) by the U.S. Examiner in the present application, this Petition to Withdraw from Issue under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2) is being filed.

The RCE submitted herewith is being filed with an Information Disclosure Statement to make the documents cited therein of record.

Form PTO-2038 authorizing charges in the amount of \$940.00 is enclosed for payment of the \$130.00 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(h) and the RCE fee of \$810.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e).

In addition, authorization is hereby given to charge any fees for which payment has not been submitted, or to credit any overpayments, to Account No. 06-1378.

It is respectfully requested that the present application be withdrawn from issue for the purpose of consideration of said RCE and said Information Disclosure Statement filed concurrently herewith.

If there are any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, please telephone the undersigned at the telephone number given below for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,

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